



600 million tons of building materials are discarded annually in the U.S. The majority of these materials are recoverable for reuse.

(EPA, 2018)

ReBuildATL Network

A collaborative coalition with 25+ community partners spearheaded by **Lifecycle Building Center** who co-designed a "Deconstruction Ecosystem" for long-term prosperity for the people of Atlanta and our planet by using an innovative methodology: Earth-Centered Design

Our Approach

Phase 1

- Deconstruction workforce training
- Initial weatherization improvements

Phase 2

- Use reclaimed materials to perform more extensive home repairs and improvements, including energy efficiency retrofits

Phase 3

- Community-based solar initiatives to reduce energy burdens, lower homeowners' energy costs and reduce reliance on unsustainable sources of energy

Breaking Barriers Workforce Training



Train 20 individuals in deconstruction and other sustainable skills in Spring 2023, followed by a career fair to match trainees with employer partners.



Provide multiple career pathways including deconstruction, facility management remodeling, construction and more.

Interested in Learning More?

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